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(ST. LOUIS) - Congressman Russ Carnahan (MO-03) released the following statement today remembering the late Governor Warren Hearnes who passed away Sunday in Charleston, Missouri:

"Debra and I, with our entire family, extend our heartfelt condolences to Betty Hearnes and her family for their loss. Warren Hearnes leaves a rich legacy of public service having the rare distinction of serving in all three branches of Missouri state government. As students prepare for the new school year it is a reminder that because of his firm commitment to education at all levels, he helped launch an entire generation of Missourians."

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